

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

December 3, 2020



The Bond Fire in Orange County grew rapidly overnight due to strong winds.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>.

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

- **FEMA-4482-DR-CA**

On 03/22/20, President Trump approved Major Declaration FEMA-4482-DR-CA (DR-4482) for the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 12/02/20 at 1100 hours:

- 64,541,950 (+649,785) total confirmed cases in 218 countries
- 1,493,869 (+13,706) total deaths

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 12/02/20 at 1000 hours:

- 13,626,022 (+178,395) total confirmed cases
- 269,763 (+2,461) total deaths

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 12/02/20 at 1100 hours:

- 1,245,948 (+20,759) total confirmed cases



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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) (Continued)

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No PSPS Activity	Activating PSPS Protocols/Potential to De-energize	De-energization Initiated

San Diego Gas and Electric (SDG&E) PSPS Event 11242020

On 11/24/20 at 1229 hours, SDG&E notified the California State Warning Center of a potential PSPS event.

- As of 12/03/20 at 0700 hours:
 - Current PSPS Stage: [De-energization Initiated](#)
 - Weather Event Window: 12/02/20 at 0600 hours to 12/06/20 at 1800 hours
 - Customers Potentially Impacted: [95,154](#)
 - Medical Baseline Customers Potentially Impacted: [6,070](#)
 - Potentially Impacted County: San Diego County
 - Customers Currently De-Energized: [73,349](#)
 - Medical Baseline Customers Currently De-Energized: [4,692](#)
 - Counties Currently Impacted by De-energization: [San Diego County](#)

Southern California Edison (SCE) PSPS Event 11.29.20

On 11/29/20 at 1731 hours, SCE notified the California State Warning Center of a potential PSPS event.

- As of 12/03/20 at 0715 hours:
 - Current PSPS Stage: De-energization Initiated
 - Weather Event Window: 12/02/20 at 1800 hours to 12/04/20 at 1200 hours
 - Customers Potentially Impacted: [293,545](#)
 - Medical Baseline Customers Potentially Impacted: [6,669](#)
 - Potentially Impacted County: Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, Tulare, and Ventura
 - Customers Currently De-Energized: [46,973](#)
 - Medical Baseline Customers Currently De-Energized: [424](#)
 - Counties Currently Impacted by De-energization: [Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura Counties](#)

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E) PSPS Event 12.03.2020

On 12/01/20 at 1251 hours PG&E notified the California State Warning Center of a potential PSPS event.

- As of 12/03/20 at 0710 hours:
 - Current PSPS Stage: De-energization Initiated
 - Weather Event Window: 12/02/20 at 2000 hours to 12/03/20 at 1200 hours
 - Customers Potentially Impacted: 0
 - Medical Baseline Customers Potentially Impacted: 0
 - Potentially Impacted County: Kern
 - Customers Currently De-Energized: 642
 - Medical Baseline Customers Currently De-Energized: 35
 - Counties Currently Impacted by De-energization: Kern

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: Personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- Five 20-person Hand Crews each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials.
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

Pre-Position Resources:

Region I

• Orange County:

- XOR: 1 Cal OES Strike Team (5 Cal OES Type 1 Engines), 1 Local Government Type 1 Water Tender, 1 Local Government Type 1 Hand Crew, 1 Helicopter, 1 Dispatcher – Start Date/Time: 12/02/20, 1200 hours

• Ventura County:

- XVE: 1 Local Government Type 1 Hand Crew, 1 Dispatcher, 1 Local Government Strike Team (5 Local Government Type 1 Engines), 1 Cal OES Water Tender – Start Date/Time: 12/02/20, 1200 hours

• Los Angeles County:

- XLB: 1 Cal OES Strike Team (5 Cal OES Type 1 Engines), 1 Local Government Type 1 Water Tender, 1 Dispatcher – Start Date/Time: 12/02/20, 1200 hours
- XLC: Local Government Type 3 Engine – Start Date 12/03/20 0700 hours



FIRE ACTIVITY

Pre-Position Resources (Continued):

Region I (Continued)

• San Diego County:

- XSD: 2 Cal OES Strike Teams (5 Cal OES Type 1 Engines and 5 Cal OES Type 3 Engines) – Start Date/Time: 12/02/20, 1200 hours

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Bond, Vegetation Fire, Orange County

Location: 29402 Silverado Canyon, Silverado Canyon

Jurisdiction: Local DPA, SRA, Contract County

- 1000 acres, brush, 0% contained
- Dangerous rate of spread
- 52 degrees, 25% RH, wind NE @ 22, gusts to 50
- Structures threatened
- Threat to 230kV transmission lines
- Significant augmentation of ground resources
- CAL FIRE ground resources assigned
- Unified command CAL FIRE and USFS

Activations

- Orange County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) is activated at Level 2

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) assigned
- 1 CAL OES Assistant Chief assigned

FMAG

- On 12/03/20 at 0304 hours, an FMAG request was submitted and has been forwarded to FEMA. FEMA approved FMAG on 12/03/20

Evacuations

- Evacuation Order – Silverado Canyon and Williams Canyon
 - 2,500 Mandatory Evacuations (Individuals)



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION (Continued)

Bond, Vegetation Fire, Orange County (Continued)

Shelters

- Counties sheltered 153 people
- Temporary Evacuation Point
 - Santiago Canyon College, 8045 E Chapman Ave., Orange
- Large Animal Rescue Team coordinating animal evacuations
 - Orange County Fairground, 88 Fair Dr., Costa Mesa

Airport, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County

Location: Butterfield Dr x Aviation Dr, City of Corona

Jurisdiction: SRA/Local DPA, SRA/LRA, Riverside Unit/City of Corona

- 105 acres, brush and timber, 0% contained
- Limited access making containment difficult
- Threat to City of Corona water treatment plant
- Army Corp of Engineers property has been evacuated
- Unified Command CAL FIRE and City of Corona
- Federal air resources assigned

Cerritos, Vegetation Fire, Riverside County

Location: California Ave x Tres Cerritos Rd, NW of Hemet State

Jurisdiction: Local DPA, SRA, Contract County

- 200 acres, grass and brush, 0% contained
- Dangerous rate of spread
- 49 degrees, 16% RH, wind NE @ 21, gusts to 35
- Structures threatened
- 115kV power lines in the area
- Significant augmentation ground resources



MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
*You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.*



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolations

- [None reported](#)

Service Interruptions

- None reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- No significant weather of concern.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- A Red Flag Warning has been issued through Saturday evening for Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and San Diego Counties due to low humidity and wind gusts up to 60 mph.
- A High Wind Watch is in effect through Friday for Los Angeles, Ventura, Orange, San Bernardino, and San Diego Counties.
- Elevated fire weather conditions are expected throughout Southern California through Saturday due to low humidity and gusty winds.
- A long duration Santa Ana wind event is possible Wednesday night through Saturday evening.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

12/03/20 - 12/09/20

Thursday-Wednesday

- Widespread critical fire weather conditions will continue across much of southwest California due to strong Santa Ana winds gusting 50-70 mph at times and very low humidity through Saturday.
 - The strongest winds are expected through late this afternoon, with gusts gradually decreasing tonight into Saturday.
- Long swell event across northern California coast through Friday, with the potential for sneaker waves and rip currents
- Rain is expected across NW CA on Saturday, otherwise dry conditions are expected for the rest of the state.
- Another round of stronger Santa Ana winds possible over southwest California by Monday and Tuesday.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

12/03/20 - 12/09/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern/ S Inland	Southern/ S Inland	Southern			Southern	Southern
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern/ S Inland	Southern/ S Inland	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

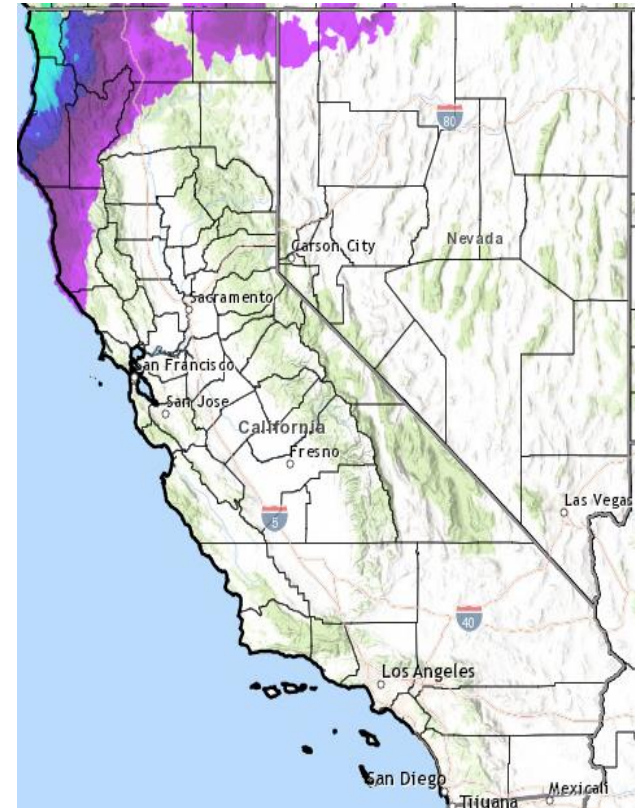
PRECIPITATION FORECAST 12/03/20 - 12/05/20



Thursday



Friday



Saturday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

12/08/20 - 12/16/20

6-10 Day Outlook (December 7 – December 11)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (December 9 – December 15)

Temperatures

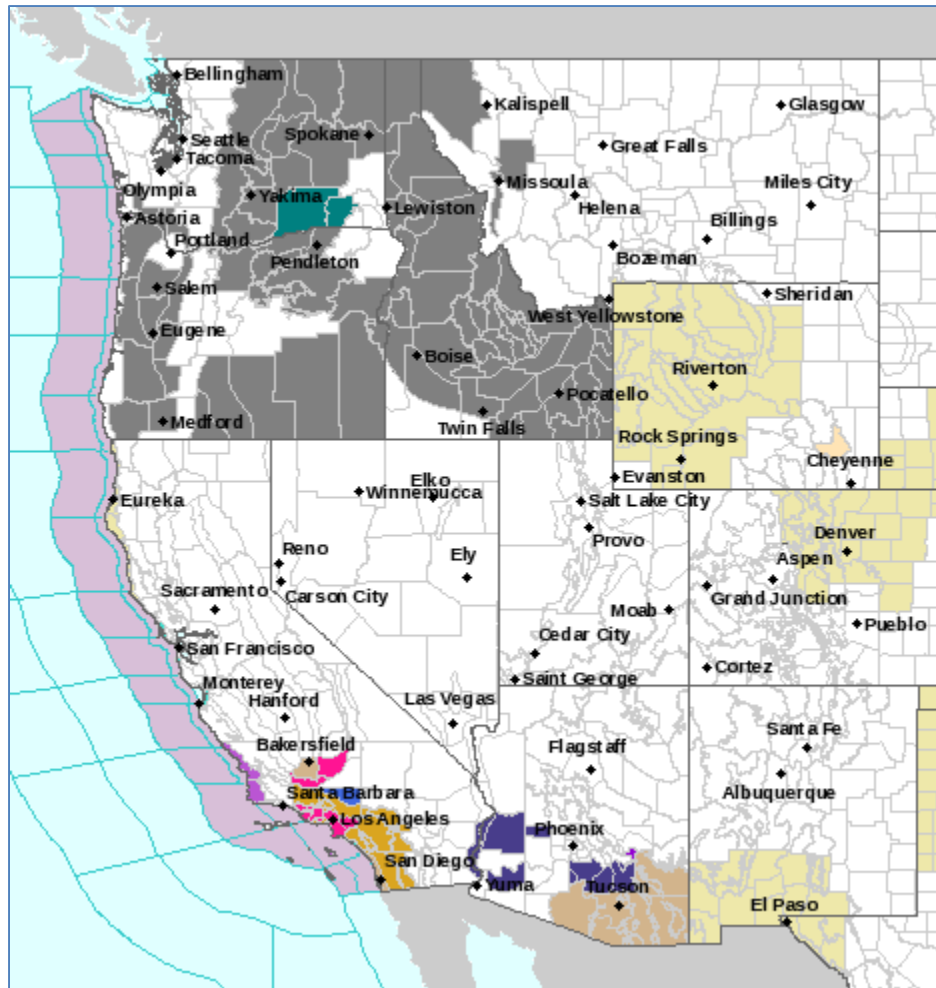
- Near-normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide



WEATHER MAP



- [High Wind Warning](#)
- [Hard Freeze Warning](#)
- [Freeze Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [High Surf Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Freezing Fog Advisory](#)
- [Beach Hazards Statement](#)
- [Hard Freeze Watch](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Marine Weather Statement](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Air Stagnation Advisory](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2020-LAW-47714, 11/30/20, 1300 hours:** Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office (SBSO) requested search/recovery divers for a missing recreation diver behind Santa Cruz Island. Santa Barbara County and the USCG are currently searching the area. Los Angeles County and Ventura County have accepted the mission and will begin their dive operation with Santa Barbara County on 12/01/20. **Update, 12/02/20:** SBSO has decided to suspend the mission due to adverse ocean/dive conditions and diver safety. They will continually assess conditions over the next several days and determine a plan for re-deployment. **MISSION CLOSED.**

Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report



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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.